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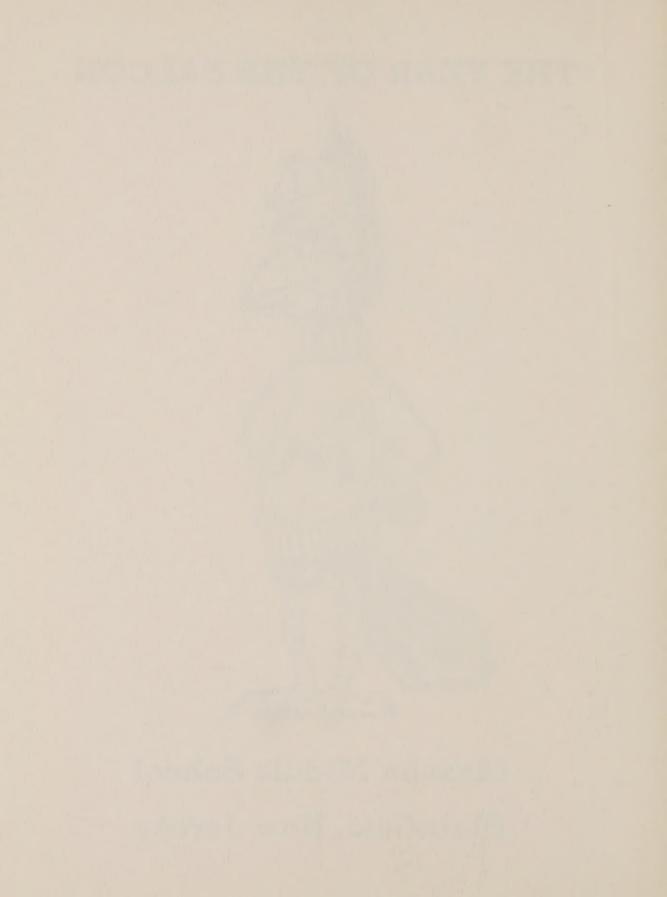


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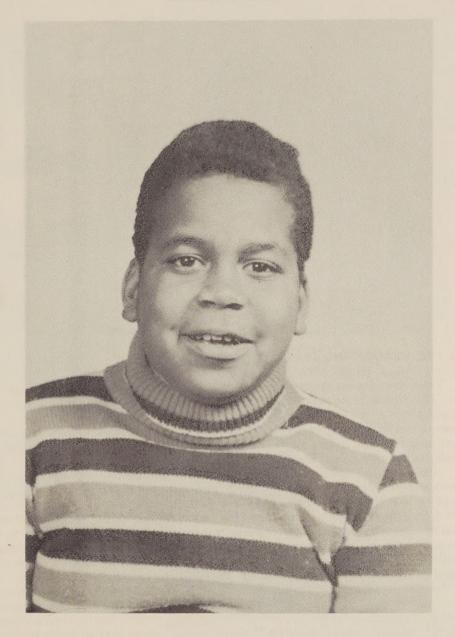
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Maxson Middle School Plainfield, New Jersey

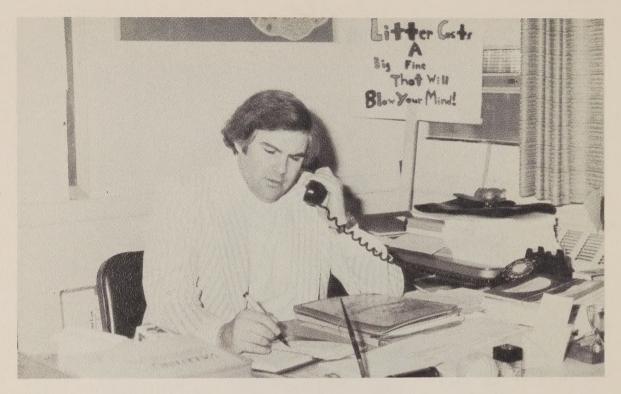


IN MEMORIAL



I shall not cry Return! Return!
Not weep my years away;
But just as long as sunsets burn,
.... And dawns make no delay,
I shall be lonesome---- I shall miss
Your hand, your voice, your smile.

Ellen M. Gates



TO THE GRADUATING CLASS OF 1976:

Two hundred years ago in our American history a slogan was coined, "The Spirit of '76." These words came to symbolize fortitude, strength of character, and desire of the colonists in this new frontier. They were determined to face the future in a positive, constructive fashion and to mold their lifestyle and their country into something better than what they had before. In many ways your graduating class, the class of '76, possesses a similar type of positive spirit and readiness.

This year was one of many entertaining and educational assembly programs where students were the focal point. We will never forget the fact that both our boys and girls basketball teams completed undefeated seasons, our student fashion show was quite a hit as were the carnival and the faculty production of "Maxson Follies"—why, this was the year that saw even the principal defeated at the checker table. But, in all seriousness, the role you played in bringing about positive change at Maxson Middle School was truly a lesson in participatory democracy. Student and staff cooperation was an obvious element in the successful year that we have all enjoyed.

Following the summer recess you will be full-fledged high school students, and have learned firsthand that your influence does count and that you can make good things happen around you if you put forth effort in a constructive fashion, working in conjunction with school authorities. This, of course, can be applied to life itself—not just school situations. You leave Maxson with a positive feeling about yourselves and an awareness of your potential for leadership and involvement. The pattern of living that you are demonstrating at this stage of your life can be carried over into adulthood—you are at the crossroads right now. Please remember, as you enjoy the fun of the high school experience, that your major purpose is to secure the necessary educational tools to open "doors to your future." Let nothing stand between you and that academic achievement; it is yours for the earning.

Think of yourselves as the new, "Spirit of '76".

Your principal,

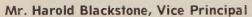
Hal F. Nusbaum



Mr. Thomas Roan, Vice Principal



Mrs. Joyce Haynes, Vice Principal







Mrs. Carol Burruss



Mrs. Carole Thurston



Mrs. Jean Shaw

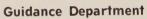


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English Department







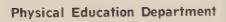
Librarian and Nurse



Mathematics Department



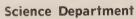
Music Department







Reading Department







Sixth Grade Teachers and Special



Typing—Art—Foreign Language



Industrial Arts and Home Economics

Social Studies Department





Secretaries



Office Aides



Security



Cafeteria Aides



CLASS OF 76



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Thelma Abney, Arlene Adams, Kimberly Adams, Louis Alexander SECOND ROW—Sonda Alexander, Tonya Allen, Earl Anderson, Gregg Anderson THIRD ROW—Michael Apello, William Armstrong, Karen Austin, Lynn Aydelotte FOURTH ROW—Lessie Bailey, Bradley Barmore, Deena Barnett, Thomas Beaton



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Valentine Belgrave, Douglas Belin, Leandra Bell, Wanda Best
SECOND ROW—Glen Black, Carlestra Blount, Everett Boatwright, Carla Boykin
THIRD ROW—Howard Boykin, Eric Bradley, Reginald Bradshaw, Theodore Brailsford

FOURTH ROW—Tonya Branch, Bonnie Brown, Lisa Brown, Bernetha Brundidge



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—George Butler, Jeffrey Butler, Wanda Caldwell, Lisa Carden
SECOND ROW—Lisa Casella, Kimberly Casey, Larry Chapman, August Ciufo
THIRD ROW—Beverly Clark, Gregory Clarke, Laurel Coaston, Leslie Coaston
FOURTH ROW—Jay Cobbs, Mary Coles, Jacquelyn Coney, Mary Coulter



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Gayle Counts, Kelly Counts, Sherry Counts, Cathy Cox

SECOND ROW—Cynthia Craig, Tammy Cross, Levi Curry, Donald Dabney

THIRD ROW—Joseph Davis, Kelly Davis, Gloria DelNegro, Mary DelPapa

FOURTH ROW—William Deskins, Jose Duin, Christshel Dunn, Donna Edenfield



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Enaud Edwards, Weldon Egerton, Tonya Enalls, Mario Espinal
SECOND ROW—Martha Evans, Maurice Evans, Wendy Evans, Elizabeth Faraone
THIRD ROW—Krystal Ferguson, Christopher Flood, Evelyn Ford, Marcia Foster
FOURTH ROW—Roosevelt Franklin, Harold Frazier, Darren Freeman, Vickie Freeman



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Virgilio Fuentes, Mack Gamble, Emad Ghanem, Katherine Gill
SECOND ROW—Michael Gillette, Linda Glover, Roger Goetz, William Goetz
THIRD ROW—Jose Gonzalex, Darryl Graham, Leslie Graham, Stephen Graham
FOURTH ROW—Cynthia Grant, Trent Gray, James Green, Garry Greene



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Anthony Grey, Douglas Grimm, Jeffrey Grisby, Jon Erik Gulliksen
SECOND ROW—Anthony Guy, Cynthia Guy, Kelly Hacker, Tracey Hailey
THIRD ROW—Kenneth Halsey, Terri Halsey, Kimela Hamilton, Lori Hampton
FOURTH ROW—Wilbert Hargrove, Darlene Harris, Deborah Harris, Cheryl Harrison



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Cynthia Harrison, Lorenzo Heatley, Patricia Heard, Mark Henry

SECOND ROW—April Hill, Ronald Hill, Linda Hills, John Hishmeh

THIRD ROW—James Holmes, Darrel Hopkins, Kimberly Howard, John Ivery

FOURTH ROW—Lolita Jackson, Mark Jackson, Robert Jackson, Tonya Jackson



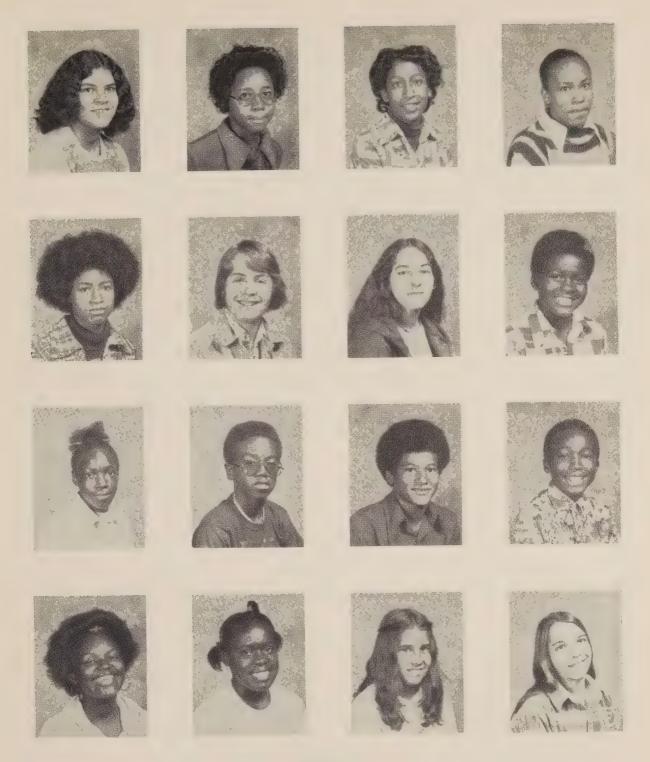
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FIRST ROW—Anthony James, Stephen Jarrell, Rachel Jasper, Samuel Jefferson

SECOND ROW—Andrea Jeffries, David Jenkins, Arthur Johnson, Ephria Johnson

THIRD ROW—William Johnson, Lori Jones, Paul Jones, Breon Kelly

FOURTH ROW—Bonnie Kidder, William Knight, Elizabeth Knowles, Melinda Knowllon



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Suzanne Knowlton, Gloria Koon, Robin Kornegay, Stacey Lamarr
SECOND ROW—Tina Lamb, John Landgraff, Graceann Landi, Kraig Lattimore
THIRD ROW—Melandi Laws, David Leach, Carl Lee, Nathaniel Lewis
FOURTH ROW—Patty Lewis, Donna Ligon, Tracy Litzenburg, Christina Loizeaux

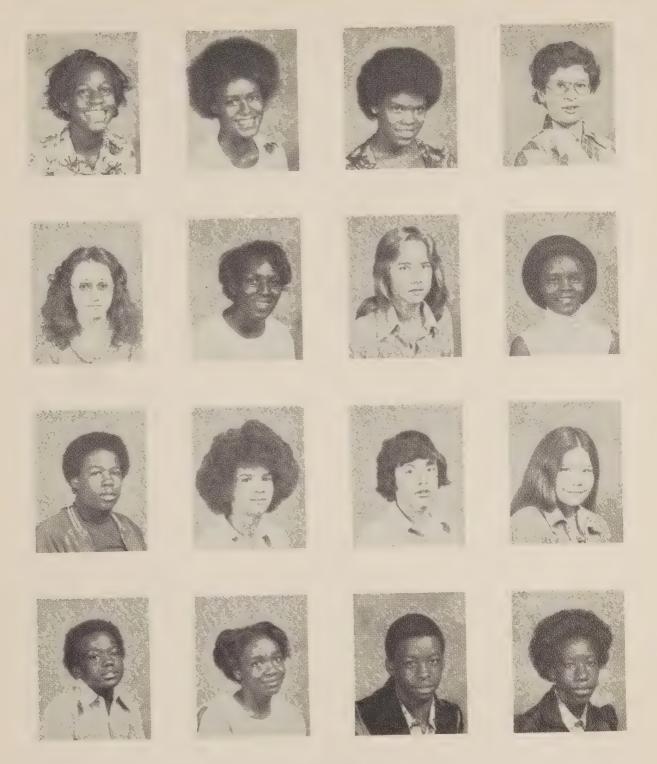


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FIRST ROW—Pierre Loizeaux, Yvonne Long, Richard Lynch, Yvette Lyons

SECOND ROW—Terry McCauley, Brian McMillan, Valerie Mackey, Kimberly Madison

THIRD ROW—Susan Madsen, Scottie Mann, Angelo Marshall, Douglas Marshall FOURTH ROW—Rhonda Marshall, Pamela Martin, Jerome Mason, Carla Mathis



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Carla Mattox, Kim Mayers, Lori Mays, Richard Micco
SECOND ROW—Cynthia Miele, Tracey Miller, Anne Minister, Leah Morgan
THIRD ROW—Terrance Morgan, Toni Morris, Gary Muccigrossi, Laura Mutz
FOURTH ROW—Herbert Myers, Lisa Myers, David Neal, Regina Nelson



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Sharon Nesbitt, Karen Nettingham, Joseph O'Bryon, Margurita Ocasio SECOND ROW—Rolando Ortiz, Frank Puredes, Lawyer Parham Jr., James Parker THIRD ROW—Debbie Parrott, Derek Patillo, Ramona Paul, Angel Pearson FOURTH ROW—Cassandra Penn, Rufino Perez Jr., Vivian Perry, Gregory Peterson



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Lawrence Philson, Dean Plante, Geoffrey Plummer, Gregory Plummer

SECOND ROW—Cary Potts, Joseph Prince, Clyde Ragland, Andrew Ramsey

THIRD ROW—Jay Raves, Michele Reed, Keith Reid, Derek Riddick

FOURTH ROW—Felix Rivera, Lillian Rivers, Jeanette Roane, Edward Robinson



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Lisa Robinson, Cindy Rookard, Duane Royal, John Royal

SECOND ROW—Bryon Russell, Katherine Saddler, Robert Sanchez, Roberta Santilla

THIRD ROW—Alan Schachter, Penny Schaefer, Bruce Schenck, Jacqueline Schmidt

FOURTH ROW—Rene Schmidt, Johnetta Seay, Paulette Seay, Kevin Sharpe



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Todd Sharpe, Ranjit Shastri, Michelle Shaw, Walter Simmons

SECOND ROW—Lorraine Simpson, Tina Simpson, Lisa Singer, Rechelle Singleton

THIRD ROW—Sandra Skinner, Amelia Smith, Alfred Smith, Lisa Smith

FOURTH ROW—Eddie Southgate Jr., Eric Spann, Kenneth Spivey, Dorian St. Clair



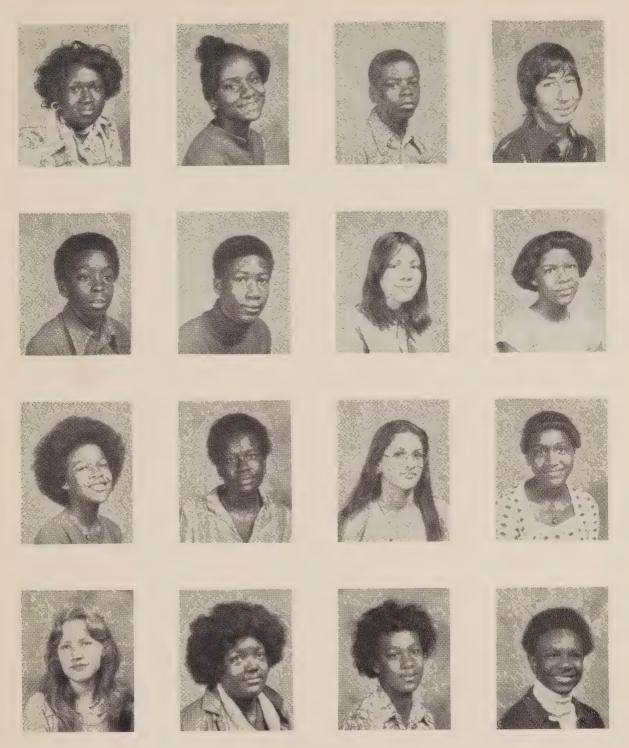
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FIRST ROW—Kelly Steele, Tracy Stepney, Michael Stevenson, Debra Stokes

SECOND ROW—James Stone, John Stone, Vanessa Strond, Raymond Szczepanski

THIRD ROW—Stephanie Talbot, Terrance Talley, Terry Tate, Karen Taylor

FOURTH ROW—Scott Taylor, Timothy Taylor, John Thomas, Thermon Thomaston, Jr.



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Cynthia Thompson, Geraldine Thompson, Kerry Thompson, Neil Tramontano
SECOND ROW—David Trawick, Andre Tyler, Leslie Ugalis, Lachelle Uzcatequi-Gaymon

THIRD ROW—Laverne Uzcatequi-Gaymon, Yvette Uzzle, Rosemarie Vega, Lisa Walden FOURTH ROW—Mary Walker, Gina Wallace, Patricia Walker, Kurt Wallace



CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—Leigh Wallace, Arlene Walsh, Nancy Warner, Caesar Warren
SECOND ROW—Jeffrey Wassen, Norita Watson, Jackeline Webb, Susanne Webb
THIRD ROW—Danielle Weber, Tim Weston, Gwendolyn White, Holly Whiteside
FOURTH ROW—James Wider, Darrin Williams, Gennean Williams, David Willis













CLASS OF 1976

FIRST ROW—James Wilson, Valerie Wise, Randall Wood, George Woods

SECOND ROW—Kathy Woods, Tammy Wynn, Katalin Yager, Lynne Yancey

THIRD ROW—Dora Yarborough, Jay Young, Wilford Younger

SEVENTH

GRADE



Girl's Gym....Mrs. Muse



Boy's Gym....Mr. Lewis



Room 101....Mr. Gunnell



Room 104....Mrs. Fried



Room 105....Mr. Bowlby



Room 201....Mrs. Muoio



Room 203.... Mr. Underwood



Room 205....Mr. Weigle



Room 207....Mrs. Vitelli



Room 209.... Mrs. Pierce



Room 211.... Miss Moore



Room 213.... Mrs. Getz



Room 228....Mr. Lombardo



Room 230....Mrs. Coker



Room 313.... Mr. Conner

SIXTH



Room 301.... Mrs. Busko



Room 303....Mrs. Luna



Room 305....Mrs. Pratt



Room 307.... Mrs. Reed



Room 309....Miss Hudanich



Room 311....Mrs. Sherman



Room 315....Mr. Frith



Work Alone



Work Together

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Cheerleaders



Girl's Basketball Team



Boy's Basketball Team

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Audio-Visual Squad



Library Helpers



Scrabble Club



Stamp Club



Chorus



Dance Club



Fire Marshalls



Gymleaders—Eighth Grade



Gym Leaders—Eighth Grade



Leather Craft Club



Maxsonian Staff



Office Helpers



Principal's Student Advisory Committee



Office Helpers



Student Senate Officers



Student Senate Representatives



Be Beautiful Club



Yearbook Staff



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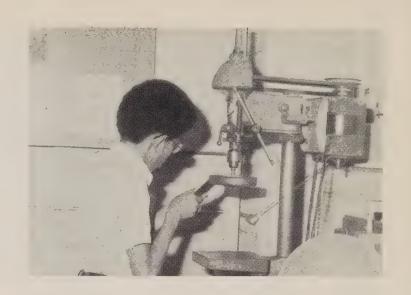






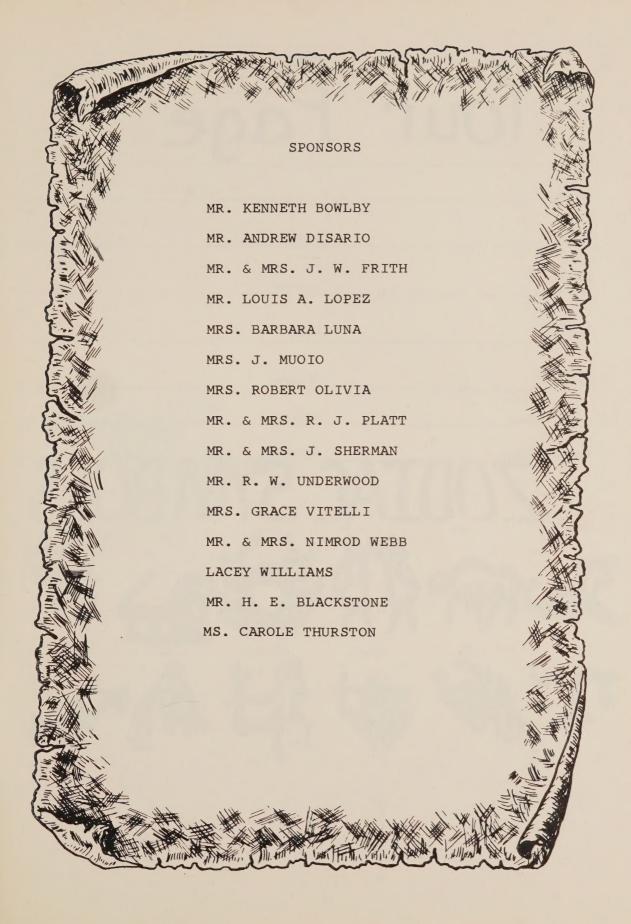












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